

InShot Video Editor

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Target Audience: General (kids and adults)

Software Type(s): This app is a tool because it allows you to edit videos.

Curriculum & Environments: I would use this in my classroom for having students make presentations, skits, etc.

Cost: We used the free version, but there are options to pay to pay \$3.99/month, \$14.99/year, or a one-time fee of \$34.99 to get access to all paid transitions, effects, and stickers.

About the Software:

InShot Video Editor allows the user to edit videos from their camera roll using features like trim, cut and delete, merge videos, add music and sound effects, and add voice overs. It also features some fun and unique options like the ability to edit a video specifically for social media and the ability to add emojis and stickers to videos. Users can also add text and filters to their work and share their videos in high resolution. However, many emojis, stickers, filters, and sound effects require having the paid version.

Impressions and Classroom Usage:

This app was surprisingly better than we thought that it would be. We were surprised by the number of things that it allows you to do to your videos. The only thing that we dislike is how the app pushes you to upgrade to the paid version every time you click on something to see if it is free or not. We did like that everything is labeled with what it is and how there is a help button that explains some of the features. We also liked how you can watch an ad to unlock some packages of stickers, emojis, et cetera instead of having to pay for them. Overall, we think this is a great app. We would use definitely use this to have students create presentations, skits, etc. for class.